Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Grant Program



DNR Staff Analysis of Nature Based Outdoor Activities on Projects Purchased with Stewardship Grant Funds

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NOTE TO DNR STAFF: This completed form will be attached to the WEPA+NBOA notice that the DNR will publish when considering a request for Stewardship grant funding. Do not list location information for the subject property or the seller's name because WI courts have held that this information is confidential until land ownership has changed hands. In "Staff Narrative" sections below each NBOA, summarize sponsor's reason for prohibition based on the 3 allowable exceptions.

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Applicant/ Sponsor: The	Conservation Fund		Year of Application: 2011			
Project Name and Primary Purpose (after acquisition): Big Muskego Lake Wildlife Area property acquisition; preservation of wildlife habitat and nature-based outdoor recreation.						
Project Description: See	Plan(s) or Reports Identifying Project Area as Priority: Big Muskego Lake Wildlife Area Master Plan; MMSD Greenseams Program					
Proposed NBOA – Applicant Narrative and Checklist						
HUNTING						
DNR Staff Narrative:	Hunting will be allowed on the p	property.				
Parcel Size, Shape, and Topography: Describe the size, shape, and topography of the parcel and how it relates to public safety for this activity on this site. The parcel is 52 acres and is comprised of upland wildlife habitat and a wetland complex that serves as the headwaters of Ryan Creek.						
Public Safety Factors C	Considered: Check all that apply	•				
☐ The sponsor is within its own municipality boundary						
Parcel is within 100 y	☐ Parcel is within 100 yards of building devoted to human occupancy					
Parcel is within 50 fe	et of the center line of highways &	& roads				
Parcel is within 1700	feet of school grounds, hospital,	or sanatorium				
☐ Ordinance exists –						
☐ Discharge or carrying	g a weapon 🛭 Hunting within pa	ark \square Throwing or shooting mis	siles, arrows, spears, etc.			
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☐ Parcel is adjacent to	•					
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☐ Project will be transfe	erred to an eligible partner sponso	or with ordinance prohibiting act	ivity.			
Unique Plant and Animal Communities Factors Considered: Check all that apply.						
☐ Federal listed endangered species ☐ State listed endangered species						
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	Allowable species (Gun)	Allowable species (bow	(opening and closing)			
Waterfowl	Per state regulation	Per state regulation	Per state regulation			
Small Game	Per state regulation	Per state regulation	Per state regulation			
Turkey	Per state regulation	Per state regulation	Per state regulation			

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Large Game

TRAPPING						
DNR Staff Narrative: Trapping will be allowed on the property.						
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☐ No Water On Site						
Public Safety Factors Considered: Check all that apply.						
Size/shape of parcel						
The sponsor is within its own municipality boundary						
Parcel is within 100 yards of building devoted to human occupancy and per s. NR 13.(1)(b)(12), the following traps are prohibited: conibear body gripping traps (with jaws wider than 60 sq. inches) and cable restraints.						
Ordinance exists that prohibits trapping or some type of trapping.						
☐ Visitor's expectations of safety at the site which include user conflicts that may create public safety issues and impact one or more NBOA's activities.						
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Water	Per state regulation					
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Off-Trail	Yes	All year				
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